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Long Eaton
Urban District Council



ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
Medical Officer of Health
WITH THAT OF THE
Public Health Inspector

For the Year
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LONG EATON URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

ANNUAL REPORT

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MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH

FOR THE YEAR 1969

TO THE MINISTER OF HEALTH, CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE
LONG EATON U.D.C.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,

It is my privilege to present this my fifteenth Annual Report.

During Conservation Year it is appropriate to take stock of our present position with regard to progress made with—for want of better words—Environmental Hygiene. This important subject affects the health and life of all citizens.

Atmospheric pollution has been a part of the environment for so long that it had almost cursory attention until the dramatic episode of the London smog of 1952.

Great progress has been made in the cities of Great Britain with regard to atmospheric pollution since the passing of the Clean Air Act. This Act laid a clear duty on industry and local authorities to remove or at least reduce the pollution of the very air we breathe. Advances in this fight against pollution have been made by the installation of modern equipment, and the advent of North Sea Gas and nuclear power. We are most fortunate in Long Eaton to have such good co-operation with our local industry.

The Council is playing its part by the creation of smokeless zones. There are bound to be set-backs from time to time, shortage of fuels of one kind and another, but this should not hinder the formulation of a policy by the local authority.

The Council has also made a positive contribution to Environmental Hygiene by the extensions at its Sewage Works to comply with the higher standards of effluent required by the Trent River Board. Such work requires a great deal of expense—and this must be paid for by the community in the form of rates.

If the quality of life and health is to be increased, pollution of the air and rivers must be reduced to a satisfactory level since in the near future more drinking water will be obtained from rivers in this country.

During the year, noise has figured in the deliberations of the Council. A particular incident at the Long Eaton Stadium emphasises the disruption that excessive noise can have upon a particular locality. The families in the area found themselves being subjected to a continuous barrage of sound during the day due to a team of speedway stars carrying out intensive training and practising. The incident served to underline the need for co-operation of the proprietors of such establishments with the local authority. The proprietors concerned have promised their co-operation to see that such an incident does not occur again in the future.

More recently the Council has been particularly concerned about the stretch of the Derby Canal which lies within their territory. The Councillors are united in their effort to see this canal filled in and used, if possible, for amenity purposes. Strong representations have been brought to bear upon the appropriate body. It may well be that a satisfactory solution may be found sooner than seems likely at the present time.

I am most fortunate to have the excellent co-operation of all general practitioners in the town. They are the keystone of any health service.

The Council visited the new purpose-built County Clinic whose services are available to all sections of the community. In the near

future the Council would like to see the establishment of a Family Planning Clinic; this matter has been taken up with the County. Adjacent to the clinic has been established the new Area Social Welfare Office under the able leadership of Mr. J. Griffiths. This centre incorporates all the services recommended by the Seebohm Report, and includes the welfare of the elderly and the home help service.

School dental facilities are now available at the new County Clinic, together with a chiropody service for the elderly. The services available at the clinic are given on page 20.

During the year vaccination against measles became generally available. This disease can cause damage to the lungs and pneumonia in young children. The public were at first slow to appreciate that this disease could be eradicated. This was perhaps understandable because one particular brand of vaccine was withdrawn from use—and the publicity given to this must have raised doubts in the minds not only of the public, but of some general practitioners. It has always been public health policy to ensure that the vaccines used are safe. This incident served to show that the Ministry of Health was prepared to act immediately on reports concerning the adverse reactions of vaccines. It will, of course, take time to re-educate the public of the efficacy of measles vaccination.

My thanks are due to Mr. P. A. Missen, Principal of the Derbyshire College of Agriculture, Broomfield Hall, Morley, for making available the full meteorological information for 1969.

It is a pleasure for me to express my thanks and appreciation to the Chief Public Health Inspector, Mr. A. A. Wild, M.A.P.H.I., A.M.INST.P.C., and all members of the Health Department for their loyal and efficient co-operation which has made work such a pleasure.

My grateful thanks are due to Dr. J. B. S. Morgan, the County Medical Officer, and his staff for their assistance throughout the year. To Mr. G. F. Clegg, Clerk of the Council; Mr. F. Turner, Engineer and Surveyor; Mr. B. Conquest, Treasurer; and Mr. C. G. Browne, Librarian; for their unfailing help and assistance throughout the year.

I wish to thank you, Sir, and your fellow members of the Council for the support and encouragement which you have given me.

I am, Ladies and Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

C. G. WOOLGROVE,
Medical Officer of Health.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY AND SOCIAL CONDITIONS FOR 1969.

Area—Land 3,425·955 acres	}				3557 acres
Water 131·045 acres		..	.	..
Elevation of District	..	..	..	..	89—147 O.D.
Population, 1961 (Census)	..	..	..	..	30,476
Population, 1969 (Registrar General)	..	..	..	..	33,170
Density of Population per acre	..	..	..	..	9·3
Number of Inhabited Houses, 1969	..	..	..	..	12,180
Rateable Value, Year ended 31st March, 1970	..	..	..	..	£1,341,000
Approx. sum represented by a Penny Rate	..	..	..	..	£5,125
Rates levied—General	..	..	..	..	13/4 in the £

SOCIAL CONDITIONS

Births	Legitimate	..	304 M.,	266 F. = 570	621
	Illegitimate	..	20 M.,	31 F. = 51	
Birth Rate	..	..	..	..	18·53
Still Births	Legitimate	..	3 M.,	4 F. = 7	7
	Illegitimate	..	0 M.,	0 F. = 0	
Deaths (178 M., 183 F.)	..	..	..	..	361
Death Rate	..	..	..	..	11·64

Number of women dying in, or in consequence of, childbirth—Nil.

Deaths of Infants under 1 year of age, per 1000 Live births :

Legitimate	..	5 M.,	4 F.	}	Total 10	Rate 16·10
Illegitimate	..	0 M.,	1 F.			

TABLE I
SHOWING CAUSES OF DEATH AT DIFFERENT PERIODS OF LIFE DURING 1969
IN THE URBAN DISTRICT OF LONG EATON

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TABLE I—continued

CAUSE OF DEATH	Sex	Total All Ages	Under 4 weeks	4 weeks and under 1 year	AGE IN YEARS									
					1—	5—	15—	25—	35—	45—	55—	65—	75 and over	
B.35 Appendicitis	M	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	F	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
B.36 Intestinal Obstruction and Hernia	M	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	F	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
B.37 Cirrhosis of Liver	M	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	F	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
B.46 (7) Other Diseases of Digestive System	M	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	F	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
B.39 Hyperplasia of Prostate	M	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1
B.46 (8) Other Diseases, Genito-Urinary System	M	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	F	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
B.42 Congenital Anomalies	M	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	F	4	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
B.45 Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	M	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	F	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
BE.47 Motor Vehicle Accidents	M	3	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
	F	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
BE.48 All Other Accidents	M	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	2
	F	6	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	2
BE.49 Suicide and self-inflicted injuries	M	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	F	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL ALL CAUSES	M	178	1	4	—	3	—	—	4	16	36	57	57	57
	F	183	4	1	—	3	1	2	2	11	27	43	43	90

TABLE II
BIRTH RATE AND DEATH RATE
FOR THREE FIVE YEAR PERIODS

Year	Birth Rate		Crude Death Rate		Infant Mortality Rate	
	Long Eaton	England and Wales	Long Eaton	England and Wales	Long Eaton	England and Wales
1955	14.57	15.0	9.10	11.7	30.30	24.9
1956	13.74	15.6	12.67	11.7	33.98	23.7
1957	14.84	16.1	10.81	11.5	40.63	23.1
1958	14.05	16.4	12.16	11.7	18.39	22.6
1959	15.33	16.5	11.90	11.6	26.97	22.2
5 year average	14.51	15.92	11.33	11.64	30.05	23.30
1960	16.70	17.1	11.39	11.5	15.07	21.9
1961	17.70	17.4	11.30	12.0	27.12	21.6
1962	17.69	18.0	12.98	11.9	12.52	21.4
1963	18.0	18.2	10.77	12.2	24.52	20.9
1964	18.16	18.4	12.39	11.3	22.53	20.0
5 year average	17.65	17.82	11.77	11.78	20.35	21.16
1965	18.37	18.0	12.62	11.5	18.58	19.0
1966	19.30	17.7	12.57	11.7	19.2	19.0
1967	20.14	17.2	10.72	11.2	12.12	18.30
1968	20.71	18.8	11.04	11.2	14.54	15.0
1969	18.53	18.7	11.64	11.9	16.10	18.0
5 year average	19.41	18.1	11.72	11.5	16.11	17.86

TABLE III.

INFANTILE MORTALITY DURING THE YEAR, 1969.

Causes of Death	Under 1 week	1 to 2 weeks	2-3 weeks	3-4 weeks	Total under 4 wks.	1-3 months	3-6 months	6-9 months	9-12 months	Total Deaths under 1 year
Inhalation of Gastric Contents				1	1	1			1	3
Pneumonia						1				1
Congenital Heart Disease	1			1	2	1				3
Bilateral Hydro-nephrosis and Spina Bifida	1				1					1
Hydrocephalus				1	1					1
Transposition of the Great Vessels				1	1					1
TOTAL	2			4	6	3			1	10

TRANSFERABLE DEATHS

	M.	F.	TOTAL
Grove, Shardlow	1	4	5
Manor Hospital, Derby	8	10	18
Cedars Hospital, Nottingham	1	—	1
Children's Hospital, Derby	2	2	4
Draycott Hospital	2	—	2
Nightingale Home, Derby	—	1	1
Derbyshire Royal Infirmary	10	11	21
Nottingham City Hospital	10	13	23
Derby City Hospital	8	13	21
Nottingham General Hospital	23	22	45
Babbington Hospital, Belper	1	6	7
Etwall Hospital, Derby	1	—	1
St. Oswald's Hospital, Ashbourne	2	3	5
Highbury Hospital, Nottingham	1	2	3
Ruddington Hall Hospital	1	—	1
Derwent Hospital, Derby	3	1	4
Kingsway Hospital, Derby	7	1	8
Children's Hospital, Nottingham	1	—	1
Various Towns	5	9	14
	87	98	185

TABLE IV.

NOTIFIABLE DISEASES (OTHER THAN TUBERCULOSIS) DURING THE YEAR 1969.

Notifiable Disease.	At all ages.	Number of Cases Notified.								Cases admitted Hospital
		Udr 1	1-2	3-4	5-9	10-14	15-24	25-45	45-65	65 up'd
Small-pox ..	Nil				1					
Scarlet Fever ..	1									
Diphtheria ..	Nil									
Paratyphoid ..	Nil									
Puerperal Pyrexia ..	Nil									
Erysipelas ..	Nil									
Dysentery ..	Nil									
Acute Encephalitis ..	Nil									
Ophthalmia Neonatorum ..	Nil									
Poliomyelitis Paralytic ..	Nil									
" Non-Paralytic ..	Nil									
Cerebro Spinal Fever ..	Nil									
Meningococcal Infection ..	Nil									
Whooping Cough ..	1	2	28	36	1	2	1			2
Measles ..	136		1		67					1
Food Poisoning ..	1									
Infective jaundice ..	2				1	1				
Acute meningitis ..	1				1					1
Totals ..	142	2	29	36	71	3	1			4

TUBERCULOSIS

Number of Cases on Register, January 1969	..	..	..	532
„ „ taken on Register during 1969	..	..	..	9
„ „ removed from Register (Deaths, etc.)	..	..	..	2
„ „ on Register, December 31st, 1969	..	..	..	539

Age Periods.	New Cases.				Deaths.			
	Pulmonary.		Non-Pulmonary.		Pulmonary.		Non-Pulmonary	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Under 1 year								
1 and under 5								
5 „ 10		1						
10 „ 15	1							
15 „ 20	1							
20 „ 25								
25 „ 35		1						
35 „ 45	2	1						
45 „ 55	1		1		1			
55 „ 65								
65 and upward						1		
Totals	5	3	1	Nil	1	1	Nil	Nil

Two Pulmonary cases received Sanatorium treatment in various Hospitals and Sanatoria.

Scarlet Fever. One case of Scarlet Fever was notified during the year.

Age and Sex of Notifications						
	1—2	3—4	5—9	10—14	15—24	Total
Male	—	—	1	—	—	1
Female	—	—	—	—	—	—

Whooping Cough. One case of Whooping Cough was notified during the year.

Age and Sex of Notifications						
	1—2	3—4	5—9	10—14	15—24	Total
Male	—	—	1	—	—	1
Female	—	—	—	—	—	—

Diphtheria. No case of Diphtheria was notified during the year, this being the twenty-second year in succession, and no death has occurred from this disease for twenty-six years.

Acute Poliomyelitis. No case of poliomyelitis was notified during the year.

Dysentery. No case of dysentery was notified during the year.

Food Poisoning. One case was notified during the year, a male of 1 year.

Erysipelas. No case was notified during the year.

Measles. 136 cases of Measles occurred during the year compared with 170 cases for the previous year.

Age and Sex Notification										
	Under 1	1-2	2-3	3-4	4-5	5-9	10-14	15-24	25 & over	Total
Males	2	4	9	6	7	32	1	—	—	61
Females	—	7	9	10	12	35	1	1	—	75

Acute Encephalitis. No cases were notified during the year.

Acute Meningitis. One case was notified during the year, a male of 7 years.

Infective Jaundice. 2 cases were notified during the year, females of 7 years and 10 years.

Tuberculosis. Nine new cases of Tuberculosis were notified during the year (seven Pulmonary and two Non-Pulmonary).

Age and Sex of Notification

	Under 5	5—14	15—24	25—44	45—64	65 & over	Total
Male	—	1	1	2	2	—	6
Female	—	1	—	1	1	—	3

Long Eaton is fortunate in having a Chest Clinic of its own and the Consultant Chest Physician (Dr. H. Morrow Brown) attends every Tuesday.

There is still a fear amongst the population concerning Tuberculosis in spite of the great advances made in treatment and diagnosis and the great reduction in recent years of the mortality from this disease.

Long Eaton as a Housing Authority plays its part in the prevention of this disease by ensuring as far as possible that those suffering from Tuberculosis have the proper environment in which to live.

No cases of Paratyphoid and Puerperal Pyrexia were notified during the year.

NOTIFICATIONS OF PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS
IN AGE GROUPS

Year	Under 15	15-24	25-44	45+	Total
1969	2	1	2	1	6
1968	—	2	4	3	9
1967	—	2	1	4	7
1966	1	2	2	1	6
1965	2	—	2	4	8
1964	1	1	4	3	9
1963	—	3	2	6	11
1962	—	2	6	1	9
1961	2	2	4	3	11
1960	3	3	3	11	20
1959	—	—	2	3	5
1958	6	1	10	8	25
1957	3	5	3	7	18
1956	1	1	10	6	18
1955	2	8	10	7	27
1954	2	10	4	11	27
1953	8	14	9	7	38
1952	5	6	11	7	29
1951	3	8	6	4	21
1950	5	7	19	2	33
1949	1	11	7	7	26
1948	2	4	13	5	24
1947	1	9	6	5	21

TUBERCULOSIS

I am indebted to Dr. W. Guthrie, M.B.Ch.B., Medical Director of the Nottingham Area No. 2 Mass Radiography Unit for the following report on the survey carried out by the Unit during the period 18th December, 1969 to 5th January, 1970.

1,550 members of the general public came for X-ray which was practically the same as in 1967 when 1,451 came. It is interesting to note that 32% were X-rayed for the first time by a mass radiography Unit.

9 examinees were recalled for large film and all were found to be satisfactory on first viewing except one. The remaining examinee was recalled further for clinical examination, and was found to have a small healed pulmonary tuberculosis lesion, and no further action was necessary in his case.

Prior to doing the public sessions at Long Eaton the Unit visited Allied Ironfounders Ltd., and a copy of the report on this survey is given below.

Miniature Films	Number X-rayed			X-rayed first time	
	Male	Female	Total	Number	%
General Public	871	679	1550	498	32%

MASS RADIOGRAPHY SURVEY AT ALLIED IRONFOUNDERS LTD.

15th-17th DECEMBER, 1969

Miniature Films	Number X-rayed			No. empld.	% X-rayed	X-rayed first time	
	Male	Female	Total	Total	Total	No.	%
Nottm. Rd.	194	68	262			128	49%
Meadow Lane	212	13	225			96	43%
TOTAL	406	81	487	762	64%	224	46%

**CLINICS AND SESSIONS
HELD AT THE COUNTY CLINIC
MIDLAND STREET, LONG EATON**

Welfare Foods Sales	Each Monday Tuesday Friday Wednesday Saturday	} 9.00 a.m.-12.00 1.30 p.m.- 5.00 p.m. } 9.00 a.m.-12.00
	Closed all day Thursdays	
Ante Natal Clinic	Each Wednesday	9.00 a.m.-12.00
*Relaxation Classes	Each Thursday	2.00 p.m.- 4.00 p.m.
*Haemoglobin Test	4th Friday	10.00 a.m.-12.00
*Cytology	2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Wednesday	2.00 p.m.- 4.00 p.m.
*Postnatal Examinations	2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Wednesday	2.00 p.m.- 4.00 p.m.
Polio Clinic Diph/Whooping Cough, Tetanus Immunisation	} 1st and 3rd Tuesday	2.00 p.m.- 4.00 p.m.
Measles		
Infant Welfare Clinic	Each Mon. & Fri.	1.30 p.m.- 4.15 p.m.
*Hearing Test	Each Tuesday	2.00 p.m.- 3.30 p.m.
*Chiropody	Each Mon.	1.30 p.m.- 4.30 p.m.
	Alt. Mon.	9.30 a.m.-12.00
	Each Tues. & Thur.	9.00 a.m.-12.00 1.30 p.m.- 4.30 p.m.
	Each Sat.	9.00 a.m.-12.00
*Eye Clinic	2nd & 4th Tues.	9.30 a.m.- 11.00 a.m.
*Dental Clinic	Mon. & Tues.	All day

*By appointment only

Appointments may also be made for:

Speech Therapy
Child Guidance
Educational Psychologist

Home Help and Mental Welfare Officer at
Social Services Dept., Midland Street

LONG EATON PHYSIOTHERAPY CENTRE
(Formerly the Long Eaton Sick Nursing Association)

Established in 1879

ANNUAL REPORT

November 1968 to October 1969

Before presenting the Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st October, 1969, the committee would like to pay tribute to the memory of the late Councillor G. F. Twells, who as a representative from the Long Eaton Urban District Council on to our committee gave unstintingly of his time and service to the Centre. His zeal and concern for its service to the townspeople was always uppermost in his mind, and with his death last summer the Centre lost an indefatigable worker and we would place on record our deep sense of personal loss.

During the year although the actual number of treatments given—4,441—was down on the previous year's, our work has been most successful. Thanks to public generosity our equipment is up to standard, and with the assistance of Mr. Farmer and his receptionist, Miss Stevenson, the Clinic has functioned happily and well over the year and we anticipate that next year will see it giving maximum service. The treatments given included Diathermy, Faradic, Wax Bath, Radiant Heat and Sunray. At the end of the financial year we had 178 patients on our books. Cash received for treatments was £968

On the financial side we are so very pleased to report that this year we have an excess of Income over Expenditure of £94, not such a large amount, but nevertheless after being in the red for so many years, we take this as an indication of the increasing interest and support we are receiving from local organisations and friends, and also from the Press.

We are particularly indebted to the members of the Long Eaton Youth Centre, members of the L.E. Rotary Club, Ladies Inner Wheel, Ladies Circle, Round Table, Soroptimist Club, Mr. & Mrs. Wally Wright, members of S.L.A.L.T., L.E. Co-operative Society, Sawley Conservative Ladies Coffee Club, Trefoil Guild, Townswomen's

Guild, etc., and of course the Long Eaton Urban District Council, without whose financial grant and active interest of the Councillors we would be unable to continue.

Rising costs nowadays seem inevitable, but if our future Income can keep pace with them our financial 'headache' should be a thing of the past.

We cannot mention personally everybody to whom we are indebted but we can assure them that we do very much appreciate their active support and interest throughout the year. It has indeed made our own efforts seem well worthwhile.

The Committee once again offers its sincere thanks to the Staff at the Centre and looks forward to a successful year in 1970.

On behalf of the Committee,

J. L. FEATHERSTON, *Chairman.*

MYRLE H. ADKIN, M.I.P.M.,

Hon. Secretary.

OLIVE SABIN, *Hon. Treasurer.*

I am indebted to Councillor V. W. Chalk for the following regarding

LONG EATON OLD PEOPLES WELFARE COMMITTEE

Facts and Figures

The welfare of the old people of Long Eaton is always under consideration by the Welfare Committee which is constituted of members from various town organisations. It is through the endeavours of this voluntary committee that such a smooth running organisation exists and so much can be achieved on behalf of the elderly.

The committee consists of the chairman Mr. R. R. Ponton, J.P., the secretary Mrs. R. Frith, warden at the O.A.P. Bungalows, Chantry Close, the treasurer Mrs. B. Conquest, and 39 committee members.

Activities

The 410 members of the Long Eaton Elderly Citizens Club enjoy activities which range from Bingo and Whist to Day Trips to places of interest. The choir formed from members of the Club find themselves in great demand as their reputation for giving pleasure to many other organisations and to the general public at the local festival, has spread throughout the Long Eaton area.

Welfare

The committee considers all aspects of the welfare and care of the elderly and sick. They endeavour to see that all aspects of home safety, especially for the infirmed, are taken into account. With the introduction of North Sea Gas, the committee organised in conjunction with the local Gas Board, a demonstration, to the majority of old people, relating to the safe use of this commodity when it eventually comes into their homes.

Visiting

Meals on Wheels is a phrase we are all aware of, but the amount of work it entails is far from realised by most people, when it can be stated that 15,267 meals were served during last year, it shows to what extent this service is provided by the Welfare Committee. Together with this a number of luncheons were served at the Stevenson Hall.

Visiting the sick and infirmed is another task under the guidance of the committee and this task is undertaken by Mr. Fox and Miss N. Radford, to whom we extend our sincere thanks.

Life Line may be a name you are not familiar with, but this activity entails visits to the aged who are not members of the Elderly Citizens Club, but are still members of our community, in this task we would like to say a public thank you to the boys of Trent College for their unfailing help.

Aims

The Committee still consider that the one shilling T.V. Licence issued only to those people under Warden care is very unfair and will always go on trying to get this situation rectified.

Appeal

Unfortunately without finance any organisation is doomed, and our need is obviously a priority, when it means the welfare of our elderly citizens; in order to continue both welfare and social activities of the club, we need your support at all times.

Thank you.

COUN. V. W. CHALK.

I am indebted to Mr. P. J. Barsby for the following

LONG EATON ROAD SAFETY COMMITTEE

REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED

31st MARCH, 1970

1. **Committee.** The Committee consists of 40 members representing various organisations, including the Long Eaton Urban District Council, Divisional Education Executive, Police, School Teachers, Chamber of Trade, Trades Council, Barton Transport, Pre-School Play Group, Motorists, Cyclists, Old Age Pensioners, Invalid and Handicapped, Towns Womens Guild, Co-op Womens Guild, Toc H, Roosevelt Club, British Red Cross, St. John Ambulance Brigade, Junior Accident Prevention Council, Sawley Community Association, the Press, the Royal Society for Prevention of Accidents, the County Road Safety Organiser and independent members interested in road safety.

The Committee suffered a sad loss by the death in February, of Mr. Joe Morris, who had been a member of the Committee since its inception in 1949. Due to illness Mr. Scott (the Chairman) was unable to attend any meetings, and the Vice-Chairman (Mr. Selwood) deputised in his absence. Mr. D. R. Parker resigned as N.U.T. member on leaving the district and Mr. T. Davies was appointed in his place. Other new members welcomed during the year were Mr. S. Bramley (Transport - Elson & Robbins Limited) and Superintendent T. H. Hoggett.

2. **Meetings.** The Committee again met by-monthly and there were 9 meetings with an average attendance of 24.

3. **Chairmanship.** Mr. G. L. Scott, Chairman, suffered a severe stroke on the 3rd May, 1969, and is still in hospital. The Vice-Chairman (Mr. R. Selwood) deputised for him at the meetings until November 1969 when, owing to business commitments, he had to resign as Vice-Chairman. Mrs. M. L. Calladine was appointed Vice-Chairman in January in place of Mr. Selwood.

4. **Representation.** The Committee was represented at the quarterly meetings of the North Midland Accident Prevention Federation, the General Purposes Committee of the Federation and at the National Road Safety Congress held at Scarborough. The Secretary also attended meetings of the Junior Accident Prevention Council.

5. **Accident Statistics.** In 1969 there were 261,778 personal injury accidents on the roads in Great Britain resulting in 353,194

casualties and a death toll of 7,383. The number of accidents decreased by 0.9% and the number of casualties by 1.1%. Deaths increased by 573. The number of children killed was 870 and the number of serious injuries was 15,387. In Long Eaton there were 240 accidents (250); four of which were fatal (4); 102 involved personal injury (121); and 134 damage only (124). 58 of these involved dogs (52). (Figures in brackets are for 1968).

6. **Campaigns.** During the year two campaigns were organised, Lighting Visibility, and the Christmas Campaign.

7. **Cycling Proficiency Scheme.** During 1969 a total of 172 children were trained under the cycling proficiency scheme of whom 117 were successful in obtaining National Certificates and Badges. No training took place at the senior schools and most of the training was undertaken by the Committee's instructors. It is hoped that more schools will undertake their own training programmes during the current year.

8. **Cycle Reliability Trial.** The Cycling Reliability Trial for holders of the Cycling Proficiency Certificate was held on Saturday, 11th October, when there were 53 entries from seven schools, but only 28 actually took part. The course was on the Petersham Estate which provided a variety of right and left hand turns and traffic signs. Once again the course was marshalled by members of the Long Eaton section of the C.T.C. who also acted as judges. The Committee are greatly indebted to them for their willing service. The Davis Cup for boys was awarded jointly to Brian Windmill of Wilsthorpe Secondary School and Lee Underwood of Roper School both of whom obtained 94 marks. The Beard Cup for girls was awarded to Kim Langley of Highfield Junior School who also obtained 94 marks. Badges and Certificates were awarded to the runners up and the prizes presented at a meeting of the Road Safety Committee on the 25th November, 1969.

9. **Junior Accident Prevention Council.** The Junior Council continued to meet each month and have made several useful suggestions for Road Safety. They took part in a seat belt count, organised by the Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents and the Ministry of Transport on the 28th July, when a total of 3,150 cars were checked, of which only 255 (8.09%) were wearing seat belts. The Junior Accident Prevention Council were congratulated on the efficient way in which they conducted the Count. The Junior Council also assisted the Road Safety Committee with the distribution of the propaganda material in connection with the Road Safety Campaigns.

During the year the Chairman and the Secretary of the Junior Council (Miss H. Ashby and Miss V. Green) resigned on leaving school and they were presented with diplomas in recognition of their services to the J.A.P.C. The present Chairman is Miss D. Wilson and

the Secretary Mrs J. Allen and they have endeavoured to interest schools in fluorescent and reflective arm bands during the winter months.

A visit was made to the Police Station when the administration of the Police was explained to them by Inspector Hibbert.

10. **Trophies for Schools.** The Olive Scraton Trophy for Junior Schools was awarded to Brooklands Junior School on obtaining the highest number of passes in the cycling proficiency scheme. The Harold Wells Trophy for senior schools was not awarded as no training took place at the senior schools during the year. It is hoped, however, that training will take place in 1970 and the award made next year.

11. **Safe Driving Awards.** Several firms entered their drivers in the Safe Driving Competition of the Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents, and during the year presentations were made to drivers employed by the Long Eaton U.D.C., Allied Ironfounders Ltd., and Elson and Robbins Ltd.

12. **British Standard Time.** In connection with British Standard Time, schools were notified of the availability of fluorescent and reflective arm bands and the Long Eaton U.D.C. again agreed to extend street lighting by half an hour each morning during the winter months. Some schools started later in the mornings.

13. **Bus Service, Meadow Lane.** The Committee received a petition from residents in the Meadow Lane area regarding the provision of a school bus service, which was submitted to Barton Transport Ltd., and the Committee are appreciative of the action taken by Barton Transport Ltd., in providing a service shortly after the petition had been submitted.

14. **Highway Patrols.** A letter was received from the Derby County and Borough Constabulary regarding the inauguration of a highway patrol scheme for Derbyshire school children between the ages of 6 and 9 years, to encourage an interest in Road Safety among children of that age group. The Committee decided to support this scheme and to make an initial contribution of £3 and an annual contribution of £1.

15. **National Trophy for Road Safety for Children.** New rules have been made in connection with the award of the National Trophy for Road Safety for Children and Young People. Instead of the award being made to an individual, it is now to be made to a community which is judged to have made the greatest contribution by way of collective co-ordinated effort and by the implementation of new and imaginative ideas. The award now consists of a trophy to be held for one year; a memento to be retained as a record of the achievement;

and an award of £500 which must be spent on Road Safety. The Long Eaton U.D.C. nominated the Road Safety Committee for this award and details were submitted to the Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents. Mansfield Borough were nominated by the Federation to go forward for the National Award, and Long Eaton gained a certificate which will be presented at the Annual Meeting of the Federation in July.

16. **Tufty Club.** No records are now kept of the members enrolled in Tufty Clubs. Propaganda material has been supplied to Pre-School Play Groups in the district which incorporate a Tufty Club section.

17. **St. John Ambulance Brigade Nursing Cadets.** During the year 11 St. John Ambulance Brigade Nursing Cadets were tested in Road Safety knowledge and all were successful in gaining their certificates.

18. **Matters Dealt With.** During the year several matters were considered by the Committee including halt signs, Tamworth Road; bus stop, Wilsthorpe Road Tamworth Road; lay-by, Tamworth Road; road markings, Sawley; school crossing patrol; car parking, Dovedale Avenue; and traffic bollards, Tamworth Road; and where necessary these were referred to the Highways Committee for attention.

19. **Expenditure.** The total expenditure for the year was £203 4s. 9d.

20. **Conclusion.** This is my 21st Annual Report as Secretary of the Committee, and will be my last, as I retire early next year. I have thoroughly enjoyed working as Secretary of the Committee since its inception in 1949, and trust that the work we have been able to do may have some lasting effect. In particular the cycling training scheme has been very successful. Over 1,500 cyclists have received training and over 1,000 have been awarded proficiency certificates and badges.

Sincere tribute is paid to all who have assisted in any way in the past 21 years in the cause of Road Safety.

LONG EATON HOME SAFETY COMMITTEE

REPORT ON ACTIVITIES DURING 1969

The Committee suffered a sad loss by the death of the Chairman, (Coun. G. F. Twells) who had been a member of the Committee since its inception. Councillor Twells was most enthusiastic in the promotion of Home Safety and a splendid example to all.

Coun. F. H. Butler was appointed Chairman to succeed Councillor Twells.

The year 1969 was a comparatively quiet year—no exhibition or demonstration being arranged.

The Committee, however, dealt with several matters which were brought to their attention, two of them being a model car which was considered to be dangerous to children playing with it, and a rubber “Bendy” rabbit, the supporting wires of which had protruded through the rubber covering, presenting a hazard to children.

Both these matters were referred to the North Midland Area Group who took them up with the manufacturers’ concerned.

The Committee initiated a campaign on the care of electric blankets and made representations to the Council to provide covers over the “Maxim” baths in the elderly persons bungalows. The Council agreed to do this where the occupants requested a cover be provided.

The Committee also organised the usual campaigns with posters and other publicity material regarding the dangers from the misuse of fireworks and to the dangers of fire at Christmas through hanging decorations, etc., in dangerous positions.

Representatives of the Committee attended the North Midland No. 4 Area Home Safety Group quarterly meetings, and also the National Home Safety Conference at Folkestone.

G. A. SMITH,
Hon. Secretary.

WATER SUPPLY

I am indebted to the South Derbyshire Water Board for the following information relating to Water Supply:

- (a) The water supply to the area has been adequate in quantity and generally satisfactory in quality.
- (b) Regular examination is made of both raw and treated water. A total of 51 bacteriological, 2 chemical and 49 partial chemical samples, were taken from consumers' premises during the year. Of the bacteriological samples, 2 indicated the presence of coli-forms. Further check samples were found to be satisfactory. The area is supplied mainly from the Drum Hill Reservoir, where water from the Board's Little Eaton Works is blended with water from the Derwent Valley Water Board. A typical analysis of the water supplied is attached hereto.
- (c) None of the water supplied to consumers is liable to plumbo-solvent action.
- (d) All water is chlorinated before being passed into supply.
- (e) The average fluoride content of the Derwent Valley water is 0.14 p.p.m., and of the mixed Little Eaton and Derwent Valley water, is approximately 0.50 p.p.m.

TYPICAL ANALYSIS OF WATER SUPPLY TO LONG EATON

Sampling Point: Bennett Street, Long Eaton

Source of Supply: Drum Hill Reservoir

(a) **Physical Examination:**

Colour (Hazen)	..	..	..	..	..	L5
Turbidity (Silica Scale)			..	..	..	L1
Taste	..	..	..	..	..	Normal
Odour	..	..	..	..	..	Nil

(b) **Chemical Analysis:**

pH	..	..	..	..	..	8.2
Electrical Conductivity at 20 degrees C.					..	258
						<i>Parts per Million</i>
Residual Chlorine:						
Free	..	..	..	..	..	—
Monochloramines			..	..	..	—
Di Chloramines	..	..	..	..	..	—
Total	..	..	..	..	..	0.02
Free and Saline Ammonia as N	..	..	..	..	..	0.01
Albuminoid Ammonia as N	..	..	..	..	..	0.01
Nitrate Nitrogen as N	..	..	..	..	..	0.001
Nitrate Nitrogen as N	..	..	..	..	..	0.99

						<i>Parts per Million</i>
Oxygen absorbed from Permanganate in 4 hours at 27 degrees C.	..	..	..	..	..	0.32
Dissolved Oxygen	..	..	..	..	..	9.1
B.O.D.	..	..	..	..	..	—
Free CO ₂	..	..	..	..	..	0.4
Total Alkalinity (CaCO ₃)	..	..	..	..	..	—
Hardness as CaCO ₃ :						
Temporary	..	..	..	..	..	49
Permanent	..	..	..	..	..	60
Total	..	..	..	..	..	109
Calcium Hardness (CaCO ₃)	..	..	..	..	..	—
Magnesium Hardness (CaCO ₃)	..	..	..	..	..	—
Total Solids (dried at 180 degrees C.)	..	..	..	..	..	180
Suspended solids (dried at 105 degrees C.)	..	..	..	..	..	—

(c) **Mineral Analysis:**

Calcium as Ca	..	..	..	..	..	30.8
Magnesium as Mg	..	..	..	..	..	7.8
Sodium as Na	..	..	..	..	..	13.2
Potassium as K	..	..	..	..	..	2.5
Iron as Fe	..	..	..	..	..	0.04
Manganese as Mn	..	..	..	..	..	0.01
Copper as Cu	..	..	..	..	..	0.05
Lead as Pb	..	..	..	..	..	0.05
Zinc as Zn	..	..	..	..	..	0.05
Aluminium as Al	..	..	..	..	..	0.05
Silica as SiO ₂	..	..	..	..	..	7.0
Sulphates as SO ₄	..	..	..	..	..	50.2
Chlorides as Cl	..	..	..	..	..	25
Fluorides as F	..	..	..	..	..	0.29
Phosphates as PO ₄	..	..	..	..	..	—
Nitrate as NO ₃ (calculated)	..	..	..	..	..	4.4

LONG EATON PUBLIC BATHS

I am indebted to Mr. Francis Turner, M.I.Mun.E., A.M.T.P.I., Engineer and Surveyor, for the following information and comments:

Public Baths

The Open Air Swimming Pool at Grange Park, Station Road, opens each summer from the middle of May until the beginning of September. The Pool is 152 feet long by 51 feet wide, varying in depth from 3 feet to 8 feet 6 inches, with a capacity of 249,000 gallons; the water is filtered and chlorinated.

The hours of opening and charges for 1969 were:

Sundays	9 a.m. to 12 noon	}	Adults ..	..	1	6
	2 p.m. to 6 p.m.		Children ..	..	9	
			Spectators	..	6	
Saturdays	10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.	}	Adults ..	..	1	3
	2 p.m. to 6 p.m.		Children			
School	10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.	}	(under 15)			
Holidays	2 p.m. to 8 p.m.		until 6 p.m. ..	..	6	
Other Week-days	9 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.		after 6 p.m. ..	..	9	
	1.30 p.m. to 8 p.m.		Spectators	..	6	

Season Tickets: Adults 25s., Children 12s. 6d., Spectators 5s.

Attendances have been:

	1969	1968	1964	1959	Season tickets 1969
Adults ..	8,720	4,002	7,416	20,487	34
Children ..	23,769	15,354	43,879	52,200	145
Spectators ..	2,070	1,717	2,736	4,922	
Slipper Baths ..	—	—	2,272	3,303	
TOTAL ..	34,559	21,073	56,303	80,912	

The Swimming Bath is used by Derbyshire Schools and by the Long Eaton Swimming Club who have exclusive use on Tuesday evenings.

The Council have decided in principle, to proceed with the erection of a new Indoor Swimming Bath, at West Park, adjoining Wilsthorpe Road, in association with South East Derbyshire Rural District Council. The Bath is to be separate from any other future indoor sports facility such as a Sports Hall, and is to be detached from the new Parks Dressing Rooms. Preliminary planning work is in progress but no final decision has yet been taken as to the size of the main pool. After settlement of the plans, it appears there will be some delay, for financial reasons, before loan sanction for this project will be granted by the Ministry.

Sewage Disposal

The construction of the two new humus tanks was completed in January, and the quality of the final effluent discharged to the River Erewash has improved to nearly the standard required by the Trent River Authority.

A start was made on the major extensions scheme in October 1969, by the contractors, Messrs. Thos. Beighton Ltd., of Chesterfield, the contract sum being £485,000, and initial progress has been good. The extended works are due for completion in September 1971, when a resumption is anticipated of the granting of planning permissions for major building development. In the meantime, the Trent River Authority has concurred in the granting of planning permissions for minor infilling development not exceeding two or three houses on individual small sites.

The three staff houses were completed and occupied in August enabling the staff to be moved in advance of the commencement of the main contract. The construction of the new garage workshop and the improvements to the staff welfare facilities were well advanced at the end of the year.

The Sludge Pressing Plant continues to work satisfactorily, but the continuing problem of the disposal of pressed humus cake remains. Preliminary consideration has been given to the merits of dried sludge incineration. During the year no complaints of odour nuisance from the works have been received.

Sewerage

Investigations have proceeded as to the measures necessary to deal with the surcharging of the foul sewerage system which occurs following periods of heavy rainfall, and also for providing for future additional building development. A draft scheme for intercepting sewers and for increasing the capacity of the main outfall sewer has been prepared, and is being discussed with the Ministry of Housing and Local Government. The anticipated capital expenditure will be approximately £200,000.

There has been little change in the situation regarding surface water drainage, the principal proposals still outstanding being New Sawley Brook Improvement, the Golden Brook Improvement and the final phase of the Sawley Surface Water Drainage Scheme. It is hoped that a start can be made during 1970 on the completion of the New Sawley Brook Improvement.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT FOR 1969

WEATHER AT DERBYSHIRE COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE MORLEY, DERBY

DURING 1969

I am grateful to Mr. P. A. Missen, the principal of the Derbyshire College of Agriculture, Morley, for the following report:

Month	Total		Sunshine		Mean Air		No. of Frosts	
	Rainfall	Av/Day	Total		Temp °F.		(32°F. or less)	
	ins.	hrs.	hrs.		Max	Min.	Grnd.	Air
January	.. 2.52	1.08	33.5		45	36	14	10
February	.. 3.34	2.6	72.6		36	27	23	19
March	.. 2.46	2.0	62.1		41	32	16	20
April	.. 1.90	5.94	178.3		53	36	17	10
May	.. 4.92	4.03	124.1		58	45	2	0
June ..	.. 2.27	8.68	260.8		65	47	1	0
July ..	.. 2.87	7.4	229.1		71	53	0	0
August	.. 1.89	5.01	155.4		68	54	0	0
September	.. 0.91	3.41	102.2		63	49	4	0
October	.. 0.38	2.65	85.6		52	47	2	0
November	.. 4.08	2.5	75.6		42	34	14	10
December	.. 3.03	1.1	34.7		41	31	22	15
TOTAL ..	<u>30.57</u>		<u>1414.0 hrs.</u>					
(1968)	(27.98)		(1236.9)					

Highest Air Maximum Temp. .. 86°F. on 16th July
 Lowest Air Minimum Temp. .. 9°F. on 8th February
 Most Rainfall in a day 1.52 ins. on 28th July
 Most Sunshine 15.3 hrs. on 9th June

NATIONAL ASSISTANCE ACT, 1948 .

No action was taken under this Act during the year.

HOUSING**No. of New Houses erected during the year.**

(i)	By the Local Authority	Nil
(ii)	By other Local Authorities .. .	Nil
(iii)	By other bodies or persons .. .	138

Improvement Grants. The Council's Surveyor has kindly supplied the following information regarding applications for improvement grants :—

(a)	Number approved for conversion or improvements (Housing Act, 1958)	6
(b)	Number approved for improvement (Housing Act, 1959) Standard Grants involving 95 properties ..	133

DIPHTHERIA IMMUNISATION

The following are details of children immunised in the Long Eaton Urban District during the year:

Primary ..	369
Booster ..	520

RAINFALL

The Hall, Long Eaton—25·43 ins.

FACTORIES ACT, 1961

PART I OF THE ACT

1. **INSPECTIONS** for purposes of provisions as to health (including inspections made by Public Health Inspectors).

Premises (1)	Number on Register (3)	Inspections (4)	Number of Written notices (5)	Occupiers prosecuted (6)
(i) Factories in which Sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 are to be enforced by Local Authorities	36	29	—	
(ii) Factories not included in (i) in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority	179	77	8	
(iii) Other Premises in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority * (excluding out-workers' premises) ..				
TOTAL ..	215	106	8	Nil

2. CASES IN WHICH DEFECTS WERE FOUND

(If defects are discovered at the premises on two, three or more separate occasions they should be reckoned as two, three or more "cases.").

Particulars (1)	Number of cases in which defects were found				Number of cases in which prosecutions were instituted (7)
	Found (3)	Remedied (4)	To H.M. Inspector (5)	Referred By H.M. Inspector (6)	
Want of cleanliness (S.1) ..					
Overcrowding (S.2)					
Unreasonable temperature (S.3)					
Inadequate ventilation (S.4) ..	2	2			
Ineffective drainage of floors (S.6)					
Sanitary conveniences (S.7) :—					
(a) insufficient					
(b) Unsuitable or defective	19	19			
(c) Not separate for sexes	1	1			
Other offences against the act (not including offences relating to Outwork)					
TOTAL ..	22	22			

PART VIII OF THE ACT

OUTWORK

(Sections 110 and 111)

Nature of Work (1)	Section 110			Section 111		
	No. of out-workers in August list required by Sect. 110 (1) (c) (3)	No. of cases of default in sending lists to the Council (4)	No. of prosecutions for failure to supply lists (5)	No. of instances of work in unwholesome premises (6)	Notices served (7)	Prosecutions (8)
Wearing apparel: making, etc.	93					
Lace, lace curtains & nets	20					
Brass & brass articles ..	—					
Upholstery Work ..	—					
TOTAL ..	113					

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR FOR 1969

TO THE CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE LONG EATON URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

MR. CHAIRMAN, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,

I have pleasure in presenting my third Annual Report on the work of the Department during 1969.

Housing

During the year 1969, 124 dwellings were let as follows: 19 for rehousing tenants from condemned property, 14 to emergency cases, 21 to sub-tenants in rotation after waiting approximately three years, 3 to tenants with families of mixed sexes and occupying two bedroomed houses, 34 to tenants allowed to transfer from one council house to another, 1 to council employees, and 32 bungalows and flats to elderly persons.

During the same period 249 housing applications and 59 applications for old persons bungalows were received.

No new council housing accommodation became available for letting during the year and this fact coupled with the Council's commitments to re-housing the occupiers from slum clearance and improvement schemes has extended the waiting period for a council house to approximately four years.

The re-housing of the occupiers from the old railway houses in the Midland Street area continued and Midland Terrace was finally vacated and demolished.

Refuse Collection and Disposal

Talks continued with our neighbouring authority on the possibility of a joint refuse incinerator and enquiries were made with a view to increasing the potential of the existing tip and acquiring further tip land off Meadow Lane.

A most welcome innovation during the year was the introduction of a vehicle replacement scheme which it is hoped will reduce the vehicle repair costs and at the same time sustain a relatively new

fleet of vehicles. This scheme will greatly assist in the planning of replacement vehicles by its clear indication of the year in which any particular vehicle is due for renewal.

With the increasing volume of refuse and the need for a larger receptacle, the Council agreed to purchase in the coming year 100 plastic dustbins of 3½ c. ft. capacity.

To increase the earnings of the refuse collectors and also to encourage the collection and baling of waste-paper, the rate of bonus for salvage sold was increased after consultation with the workmen.

Public Conveniences

This year saw the closing and demolition of The Green and Station Street Conveniences and the opening of the new toilet block at Orchard Street. Although there have been incidents of damage and defacement at the new conveniences these have fallen far below the amount of vandalism one expected and this could well be due to the vigilance and conscientious manner of the attendant.

In closing I should like to take the opportunity again of expressing my appreciation to the Chairman and Members of the Health Committee for their continued interest and support during this year of office.

Finally, my thanks are again due to Dr. Woolgrove, fellow officers and staff in the Department and my colleagues in other departments for their willing help and co-operation.

I am, ladies and gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

A. A. WILD,

*Chief Public Health Inspector
and Cleansing Superintendent.*

IMPROVEMENT AREAS

Area	No. of Houses	Date of Declaration	Remarks and Present Position
New Tythe Street	6	22.3.65	Preliminary Notice Served. Ownership changed—application has been received from new owner for grants. Improvements completed.
Regent Street	45	22.11.65	Improvement Notices Served. Improvements in hand.
Granville Avenue	68	24.10.66	Improvement Notices Served. Improvements in hand.
Trafalgar Square and Terrace	44	22.4.68	Preliminary and Improvement Notices Served.

SLUM CLEARANCE

The following information shows the progress made with slum clearance since the commencement of the Council's programme in 1956 :—

Property	No. of houses	Position at time of report
2, 4, 6, 8, East End	4	Demolished 1956—occupants rehoused.
34, 14, 16, 16a East End	4	Demolished 1958—occupants rehoused.
370, 372, 374 Tamworth Road	3	Clearance Order confirmed Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
6, 8 Wilne Avenue	2	Inspected and owner to be given opportunity to repair.
348 Tamworth Road	1	Voluntary undertaking from owner not to relet house for human habitation accepted by Council.
133, 135, 137, 139, Wilne Road also 121, 123, 125, 129, 131 Wilne Road added	9	Clearance Order confirmed with modifications after Inquiry. Occupants rehoused Houses Demolished.
50, Wilne Road	1	Demolished, occupants rehoused.
105, 107, 109, Wilne Road	3	Clearance Order confirmed. Occupants rehoused, Houses Demolished.
15, 17, Chantry Place	2	Demolished 1956. Occupants rehoused.

Property	No. of houses	Position at time of report
25, 27, Wilne Road	2	Houses demolished.
1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, Narrow Bridge	8	Clearance Order confirmed. Occupants rehoused and houses demolished.
1, Tucker's Yard	1	House closed.
Oakland Avenue	2	Wooden bungalows demol- ished.
10, 12, 14, 16, Tamworth Road	4	Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, Chapel St.	7	Clearance Order confirmed. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
39 Tamworth Road, 8, 10, 12 14 Upper Brook Street, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 Pleasant Row	16	Declared to be a Clearance Area, July, 1956. Houses (ex- cept No. 8 Upper Brook St.) purchased by Council. Oc- cupants rehoused and houses demolished. Compulsory Pur- chase Order made and con- firmed in respect of No. 8 Upper Brook Street, and oc- cupants rehoused. House de- molished.
1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, Upper Brook Street	9	Declared to be a Clearance area in July 1956. Nos. 1, 15 and 17 purchased by Council, occupants rehoused and houses demolished. Compulsory Pur- chase Order made in respect of Nos. 3 to 13. Inquiry into objections held on 20th May, 1959. Compulsory Purchase Order confirmed. Occupants rehoused and houses demol- ished.
11, 13, 15, 17, Lower Brook St.	4	Declared to be Clearance Area July, 1956. Houses purchased by Council, occupants re- housed and houses demolished
14, 16, 18, Lower Brook Street	3	Declared to be Clearance Area, July, 1956. Occupants re- housed. Compulsory Purchase Order made, and confirmed. Houses Demolished.

Property	No. of houses	Position at time of report
332, 334, 336, 338, Tamworth Road	4	Declared a clearance area in Nov., 1958. Compulsory Purchase Order made July, 1960. Inquiry held 21st March, 1961. Compulsory Purchase Order confirmed in respect of Nos. 336 and 338. Occupants rehoused and houses demolished.
27, 29, 31, 33, Upper Brook St., and 19, Lower Brook St.	5	Declared to be Clearance Area, July, 1956. Compulsory Purchase Order made. Inquiry into objections held on 20th May, 1959. Compulsory Purchase Order confirmed. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
1, 2, 3, 4, Victoria Terrace	4	Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
6, 8, 10, 12, Chapel Street	4	ditto
4, Hill's Cottages	1	Occupants rehoused—undertaking given not to relet for human habitation.
2, Bank Street	1	ditto
2, Tucker's Yard	1	ditto
62, Wilne Road	1	ditto
Bungalow, Trent Lock	1	Demolished. Occupant rehoused.
1, 3, 5, 7, 9, Cross Street	5	Clearance Order confirmed—Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
5, 7, off Station Road and 26, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, Station Road	12	Clearance Order confirmed. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, Shepherd's Cottages	9	Clearance Order confirmed. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
11, 13, 15, Union Street	3	Demolished. Occupants rehoused.
40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, Union St.	15	Clearance Order confirmed. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
354, 356, 358, 360, 362, 364, Tamworth Road	6	Clearance Order confirmed. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Moore's Cottages	5	Clearance Order confirmed. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.

Property	No. of houses	Position at time of report
81, 83, 85, 87, 89, Tamworth Road	5	Declared to be Clearance Area, July, 1956. Compulsory Purchase Order made and confirmed. Occupants rehoused. Houses Demolished.
26, 28, 30, 32, Main Street	4	Clearance Order confirmed. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 31, 33, Orchard Street	10	Declared a clearance area in March, 1959. Houses Purchased and Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
43, 45, 47, 49, Orchard Street	4	Declared a clearance area in March, 1959. Compulsory Purchase Order made Oct., 1960 confirmed April, 1961. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
35, 37, 39, 41, Orchard Street	4	Included as "grey" properties. Houses Purchased. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
95, 97, 99, 101, 103, Wilne Rd.	5	Clearance Order confirmed. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, Bonsall Street	11	Clearance Order made Dec. 1959. Compulsory Purchase Order confirmed Feb., 1961. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
10, 12, 14, 16, Bonsall Street	4	Clearance Order made Dec., 1959. Not confirmed. Council Purchased No. 14.
5, 6, 7, Victoria Terrace	3	Clearance Order confirmed. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
14, 16, Meadow Lane	2	Clearance Order confirmed March, 1961. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
1, 2, Roe's Court	2	Clearance Order confirmed June, 1961. Occupants rehoused.
1, 2, 3, Smith's Cottages	3	Declared to be a clearance area in March, 1960. Houses demolished.

Property	No. of houses	Position at time of report
10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, Cross Street	7	Voluntary undertaking from owners not to relet houses for human habitation accepted by Council. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
2, Stud Farm	1	Voluntary undertaking from owner not to relet house for human habitation accepted by Council. Occupants rehoused, house demolished.
118—130 and 135—145 Bridge Street and 130—140 Bennett Street.	19	Aluminium prefabricated Bungalows certified as unfit by M.O.H. Occupants rehoused and bungalows demolished.
11, 12, 13, 14, Trent Junction Cottages	4	Clearance Order confirmed 5th March, 1963. Occupants rehoused, houses demolished.
18 and 24 Leopold Street	2	Voluntary undertaking from owners not to relet houses for human habitation accepted by Council. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
394, Tamworth Road	1	Voluntary undertaking from owners not to relet house for human habitation accepted by Council. Occupants rehoused. House demolished.
127, Wilne Road	1	Voluntary undertaking from owners not to relet house for human habitation accepted by Council.
2, Beaconsfield Street	1	Voluntary undertaking from owners not to relet house for human habitation accepted by Council. Occupants rehoused. House demolished.
Lodge Farm, Wyvern Ave.	1	Demolition Order made April, 1964. Tenants rehoused. House Demolished.
Sandiacre Lock House and Cottage adjoining	2	Demolition orders made, September, 1964. Occupants of Cottage rehoused.
2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, New Tythe Street	7	Declared to be a Clearance Area, March, 1965. Occupants of 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 and 14 rehoused. Houses demolished.

Property	No. of houses	Position at time of report
29, 31, Lower Brook Street	2	Declared to be a Clearance Area, March, 1965. Houses purchased by Council. Occupants rehoused and houses demolished.
3, 5, 7, Hey Street	3	Houses purchased by Council. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
11, Plant Lane	1	Voluntary undertaking from owners not to relet house for human habitation accepted by Council. Occupants rehoused. House demolished.
310 and 312, Wellington Street	2	Clearance Order Confirmed. Occupants rehoused and houses demolished.
20, 22 and 24, Russell Street	3	Clearance Order confirmed 15.2.67. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
1 - 20 Midland Street 1 - 12 Erewash Street 1 - 15 Trent Street 1 - 40 Midland Terrace	87	Declared to be a Clearance Area. Houses purchased by Council. Occupants of 1,2,3,4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 23, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, and 39 Midland Terrace and 3, 6, 11 and 12 Erewash Street rehoused. Nos. 1 - 40 Midland Terrace demolished.
3 and 5 Brown's Road	2	Voluntary undertaking from owner not to relet houses for human habitation accepted by Council. Occupants rehoused and houses demolished.
6 and 8 New Street	2	Declared to be a Clearance Area. Houses purchased by Council. Occupants of No. 6 rehoused. Houses demolished.
11, Spinney Road 6, Arnold Crescent 1, Plant Lane 303, 356, 360, 362, 381, 383, 387, 402, 404, 405, 406, and 407, Bennett Street 3 and 24 Wilne Road	16	Prefabs closed. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.

Property	No. of houses	Position at time of report
6 - 42 Queen Street	19	Clearance order confirmed. Houses purchased by Council. Occupants of 10, 12, 18, 22 26 and 42 rehoused.
45, 51 and 31a Cross Street	3	Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
322, 324 and 326 Tamworth Road	3	Demolition Orders made. Occupants of 322 and 326 rehoused.
15 and 17, Leopold Street	2	Voluntary undertaking from owners not to relet houses for human habitation accepted by Council. Occupants rehoused. Houses demolished.
Dealy Way Farm, Trowell Grove	1	House purchased by Council. Occupants rehoused.
Total	41	

The following houses in the Brook Street area included as "grey" properties were purchased by the Council to secure the proper re-development of the site :—

Property	No. of houses	Position at time of report
1, 3, 5, 7, 9, Lower Brook Street	5	Occupants rehoused and houses demolished.
21, 23, 25, 27, Lower Brook St.	4	ditto
2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, Holme Street	9	ditto
2, 4, 6, Upper Brook Street	3	ditto
16, 18, 20, 22, Upper Brook St.	4	ditto
19, 21, 23, 25, Upper Brook St.	4	ditto
Total	29	

FOOD AND DRUGS ACT, 1955

The Sampling of food under the above Act is carried out by the Derbyshire County Council.

Mr. J. Markland, B.Sc., F.R.I.C., County Analyst, has kindly supplied the following information:—

138 samples, including 26 Milks, were taken under the above Act in the area of the Long Eaton Urban District Council during the year 1969.

The Milk samples were all satisfactory.

A sample of Sal Volatile was deficient in Ammonium Carbonate and Free Ammonia. The retailer was cautioned.

A sample of A.P.C. Tablets B.P.C. failed to satisfy the requirements of the British Pharmaceutical Codex. A formal sample was taken and found to be satisfactory.

The remaining samples were classed as satisfactory.

A Table Jelly was submitted for examination by your Authority following a consumer complaint. The foreign matter present consisted of cotton and wool fibres.

DAIRIES

Number on Register	..	..	..	..	3
Number of Milk Distributors	..	..	..	..	4
Inspections	..	..	..	..	10

The following information relating to examination of samples of milk taken by the Derbyshire County Inspector in Long Eaton, has been supplied by the County Medical Officer.

Untreated Milk

METHYLENE BLUE		BIOLOGICAL	
Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory
—	—	—	—

Pasteurised Milk

METHYLENE BLUE			PHOSPHATASE	
Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Not Done	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory
27	—	3	30	—

Sterilized Milk**TURBIDITY**

Satisfactory

5

Unsatisfactory

—

Ultra Heat Treated Milk**Colony Count Test**

Satisfactory

1

Not Done

1

Unsatisfactory

—

Total Number of Samples 37 excluding Pasteurising Plant samples details as follows:

Pasteurising Plant**Pasteurised Milk****METHYLENE BLUE**

Satisfactory

18

Unsatisfactory

—

Not Done

1

PHOSPHATASE

Satisfactory

19

Unsatisfactory

—

Total Pasteurising Plant Samples 19

PUBLIC CONVENIENCES

The following is the income from the Public Conveniences for the year ended 31st March, 1970:

			£	s.	d.
The Green—Ladies	..	..	13	7	
Gents..	..	..	14	2	
College Street—Ladies	..	..	13	1	
Manor Park Ladies	..	..	9	9	
Trent Loek—Ladies	..	..	15	10	
Orchard Street—Ladies	..	..	18	0	
			<u>£4</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>

FOOD

The number of food premises in the area, classified into types of business, is as follows :

Butchers	..	..	..	..	28
Fishmongers	..	..	..	..	5
Fried Fish Shops	..	..	..	..	11
Grocery and Provisions	..	..	..	..	71
Confectionery	..	..	..	..	37
Greengrocer and Fruiterer	..	..	..	..	36
Chemists	..	..	..	..	9
General Stores	..	..	..	..	28
Restaurants and Cafes	..	..	..	..	11
			Total		<u>236</u>

The number and types of food premises registered under section 16 of the Food and Drugs Act, 1955, is 166, made up of 119 Ice Cream premises and 47 cooked meats, sausages, etc.

The total number of inspections made to all food premises including licenced slaughterhouses totalled 1,684.

Meat condemned at the slaughterhouses is disposed of by sale to Processors for conversion into Animal Feeding Stuff and fertilisers, and the food condemned at shops and other food stores is collected by the Department and buried at our controlled refuse tip.

No prosecutions under the Food Hygiene Regulations were taken during the year.

One prosecution was taken under Section 8 of the Food & Drugs Act 1955. The firm concerned were fined £25.

FOOD STORES AND MARKETS

The following unsound food was surrendered from these premises:

Canned Meat	..	..	..	42 tins
„ Fish	..	..	..	30 „
„ Milk	..	..	..	13 „
„ Veg., Fruit and Jam	..	..	..	375 „
„ Tomatoes	..	..	..	97 „
Soups	..	..	..	3 „
Cheese	..	..	..	1 lbs.
Butter	..	..	..	209 „
Lard	..	..	..	114 „
Corned Beef	..	..	..	15 „
Cooked Ham	..	..	..	20 „
Flour	..	..	..	128 „
Frozen Fruit	..	..	..	7 pkts.
„ Meat	..	..	..	368 „
„ Vegetables	..	..	..	567 „
„ Fish	..	..	..	282 „
„ Cake	..	..	..	126 „
„ Chickens	..	..	..	248 lbs.
Sheep's Hearts	..	..	..	98 „
Ice Cream	..	..	..	114 pkts.
Pork ..	..	..	..	198 lbs.
Beef ..	..	..	..	148 „
Mutton	..	..	..	577 „
Tea ..	..	..	..	19 „
Margarine	..	..	..	150 „
Dried Fruit	..	..	..	6 „
Biscuits	..	..	..	12 „
Sugar	..	..	..	27 „
Carrots	..	..	..	105 „
Cakes	..	..	..	27 „
Cooking Oil	..	..	..	5 gals

SLAUGHTERHOUSES

Two licenced slaughterhouses have operated throughout the year.

The principle of inspecting all animals at the time of slaughter has been continued. No horses were slaughtered during the year.

The following table gives details of the carcasses inspected and condemned :

	Cattle, excluding Cows	Cows	Calves	Sheep and Lambs	Pigs	Goats
Number Killed ..	4622	83	19	8490	9449	Nil
Number Inspected ..	4622	83	19	8490	9449	Nil
ALL DISEASES EXCEPT TUBERCULOSIS						
Whole Carcasses condemned	1	3	1	14	8	Nil
Carcasses of which some part or organ was condemned ..	1325	23	1	409	269	Nil
Percentage of the number inspected affected with disease other than Tuberculosis	28.67 ⁰ / ₁₀₀	31.33 ⁰ / ₁₀₀	10.53 ⁰ / ₁₀₀	4.98 ⁰ / ₁₀₀	2.93 ⁰ / ₁₀₀	—
TUBERCULOSIS ONLY						
Whole Carcasses Condemned	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Carcasses of which some part or organ was condemned ..	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	43	Nil
Percentage of the number inspected affected with Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—	0.46 ⁰ / ₁₀₀	—
CYSTICERCOSIS						
Carcasses of which some part or organ was condemned ..	1	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Carcasses submitted to treatment by refrigeration ..	1	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Generalised and totally condemned ..	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil

The total weight of food condemned, including meat and offal at the slaughterhouses totalled 12 tons 17 cwts.

NOISE ABATEMENT ACT, 1960

Total number of complaints received 14
Total number investigated 14

	Industrial	Commercial	Domestic	Total
Number of nuisances confirmed ..	5	3	6	14
Number of nuisance remedied informally	5	3	6	14
Number of abatement notices under Section 1	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Number of nuisance orders under Section 1	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil

BAKEHOUSES

Number on Register	..	.	3
Number of Inspections	..	..	10
Informal Notices served	..	.	4
Nuisances abated	.	.	4

RAG FLOCK AND OTHER FILLING MATERIALS ACT, 1951

Ten firms are registered under the Act.

During the year four informal samples of prescribed material under this Act were collected and sent for analysis and they all conformed to the required standards.

PETROLEUM ACTS

Number of Premises licensed for the storage of Petroleum and inflammable mixtures :

January, 1969	..	..	54
December, 1969	..	..	53

Total storage capacity for Petrol is 123,854 galls.

The total amount received from Petroleum Licenses during the year was £168 0s. 0d.

57 visits were paid to Premises where petroleum is stored.

PET ANIMALS ACT, 1951

Six licences under the above Act were granted during the year.

ANIMAL BOARDING ESTABLISHMENTS ACT, 1963

Three licences under the above Act were granted during the year.

ATMOSPHERIC POLLUTION

For record purposes the following tables show the results of the analysis of the contents of the Deposit Gauges at 83, Douglas Road, 34, Lock Lane and Therm House:—Calculated deposition per day:

Rainfall in m.ms.

	Therm House		83 Douglas Road		Lock Lane	
	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969
January	2.19	0.87	2.11
February	44.6	1.70	52.0	2.05
March	22.5	2.02	22.9	1.88
April	0.55	1.58	0.68	1.8
May	1.80	3.8	1.97	4.09
June	1.78	1.11	2.04	1.30
July	0.80	2.54	1.75	2.67
August	—	2.13	3.31	2.11
September	1.89	0.43	2.04	0.69
October	2.35	0.18	2.58	0.27
November	1.24	—	1.40	—
December	1.90	—	2.03	—
	0.90	—	—	—

	Total Water Insoluble Deposit in Milligrammes per square metre			mg m ²
January	148.4	106.1
February	71.8	130.7
March	128.1	186.7
April	114.1	202.1
May	56.1	126.9
June	47.9	155.1
July	—	120.5
August	69.6	116.4
September	75.5	168.4
October	84.3	85.3
November	98.0	—
December	63.9	—
	—	—
	39.4	—

NOTE: The Deposit Gauges were withdrawn from service on 1st November, 1969

Total Water Soluble Matter in Milligrammes per square metre mg m²

	Therm House		83 Douglas Road		34 Lock Lane	
	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969
January
February
March
April
May
June
July
August
September
October
November
December

Total Solids in Milligrammes per square metre mg m²

January ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
February ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
March ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
April ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
May ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
June ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
July ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
August ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
September ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
October ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
November ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
December ..	..	..	..	..	..	..

The contents of the deposit gauges are examined for “fly ash” and the following are the results:

	% OF INSOLUBLE DEPOSIT								
	83 Douglas Road			34 Lock Lane			Therm House		
	1967	1968	1969	1967	1968	1969	1967	1968	1969
January ..	15%	5%	10%	10%	15%	10%	—	5%	25%
February ..	10%	10%	10%	15%	10%	10%	—	5%	5%
March ..	20%	15%	3%	15%	10%	10%	—	5%	2%
April ..	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%	—	—	5%
May ..	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%	3%	—	5%	2%
June ..	10%	5%	1%	10%	10%	6%	5%	10%	3%
July ..	10%	5%	7%	20%	5%	6%	5%	—	2%
August ..	10%	5%	6%	10%	15%	6%	5%	5%	2.5%
September ..	15%	15%	5%	10%	—	10%	20%	10%	1.3%
October ..	10%	10%	10%	15%	10%	20%	5%	5%	15%
November ..	10%	10%	—	5%	10%	—	10%	2%	—
December ..	10%	5%	—	15%	10%	—	5%	2%	—

The Daily Measurement of smoke and sulphur dioxide was continued during the year and the resultant readings sent to the Ministry of Technology.

The following tables show the daily concentration of smoke and sulphur dioxide :

Smoke

<i>Month</i>	<i>Highest</i>			<i>Lowest</i>			<i>Mean</i>		
	MICROGRAMMES PER CUBIC METRE								
	1969	1968	1967	1969	1968	1967	1969	1968	1967
January ..	357	226	391	68	38	49	157	136	153
February ..	519	293	370	32	40	34	169	118	107
March ..	499	210	141	32	35	31	113	94	75
April ..	188	132	110	43	46	30	85	81	75
May ..	123	101	109	24	23	25	65	66	56
June ..	65	80	50	20	8	13	38	31	26
July ..	47	85	64	11	21	10	28	39	23
August ..	53	62	62	10	13	10	32	29	28
September ..	111	143	120	27	26	17	62	54	82
October ..	359	224	118	32	30	39	103	77	70
November ..	234	366	512	41	42	65	108	131	191
December ..	—	480	477	—	75	55	—	164	192

Sulphur Dioxide

<i>Month</i>	<i>Highest</i>			<i>Lowest</i>			<i>Mean</i>		
	MICROGRAMMES PER CUBIC METRE								
	1969	1968	1967	1969	1968	1967	1969	1968	1967
January .	329	303	357	106	68	111	168	171	205
February	466	235	283	101	82	90	176	201	161
March ..	289	214	191	74	68	85	143	132	139
April ..	214	194	181	79	63	52	131	116	100
May ..	176	147	226	38	73	54	105	97	97
June ..	96	141	151	35	33	46	63	65	79
July ..	111	109	103	35	29	47	64	73	63
August ..	98	72	92	42	24	34	61	45	59
September	170	115	142	40	24	45	79	60	74
October ..	230	369	172	82	71	68	122	120	112
November	221	339	399	80	72	138	121	144	217
December	—	360	400	—	91	98	—	174	190

THE OFFICES, SHOPS & RAILWAY PREMISES ACT 1963

The following tables show the number of premises registered, general inspections carried out and an analysis of persons employed in registered premises :

Registrations and General Inspections

Class of Premises	No. premises registered during the year	Total No. registered premises at end of year	No. registered premises receiving a general inspection during the year
Offices	1	87	82
Retail shops	Nil	164	114
Wholesale shops, warehouses ..	Nil	4	4
Catering establishments open to public, canteens ..	1	25	25
Fuel storage depots ..	Nil	2	2
Totals ..	2	282	227

Number of visits of all kinds to registered premises 626.

Analysis of Persons Employed in Registered Premises by Workplace

Class of Workplace	Number of persons employed
Offices	790
Retail Shops	855
Wholesale departments, warehouses	170
Catering establishments open to public	162
Canteens	—
Fuel storage depots	10
TOTAL ..	1987
Total Males ..	702
Total Females	1285

ANALYSIS OF CONTRAVENTIONS

<i>Section</i>	<i>Number of Contraventions found</i>						
4	Cleanliness	..	..	..	..	..	1
5	Overcrowding	..	..	..	..	..	—
6	Temperature	..	..	..	..	..	1
7	Ventilation	..	..	..	..	..	1
8	Lighting	..	..	..	..	..	1
9	Sanitary Conveniences	..	..	..	..	..	—
10	Washing facilities	..	..	..	..	..	—
11	Supply of drinking water	..	..	..	..	..	—
12	Clothing accommodation	..	..	..	..	..	—
13	Sitting facilities	..	..	..	..	..	—
14	Seats (Sedentary Workers)	..	..	..	..	..	—
15	Eating facilities	..	..	..	..	..	—
16	Floors, passage and stairs	..	..	..	..	..	—
17	Fencing exposed parts machinery	..	..	..	..	..	—
18	Protection of young persons from dangerous machinery	..	..	..	..	..	—
19	Training of young persons working at dangerous machinery	..	..	..	..	..	—
23	Prohibition of heavy work	..	..	..	..	..	—
24	First Aid	..	..	..	..	..	—
	Other matters	..	..	..	..	..	1
TOTAL ..							5

REPORTED ACCIDENTS

<i>Workplace</i>	<i>No. Reported</i>		<i>Total No. Invest-igated</i>	<i>Action Recommended</i>			
	<i>Fatal</i>	<i>Non-Fatal</i>		<i>Prose-cution</i>	<i>Formal warning</i>	<i>Informal advice</i>	<i>No action</i>
Offices							
Retail shops		5	3			2	3
Wholesale shops							
Warehouses		1	1				1
Catering establish-ments open to public, canteens		2	2			3	1
Fuel storage depots		4	4				1
TOTALS	nil	12	10	nil	nil	5	6

COMPLAINTS

Number of Complaints received	832
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Summary of Complaints

Housing defects	119
Defective and choked drainage	225
Prevalence of Rats and Mice	..	..	..	..	223
Defective W.C.'s	..	..	..	..	27
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	..	238

SANITARY INSPECTION OF THE AREA

Particulars of Visits and Inspections are as follows:

Bakehouses	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
Caravans	..	..	..	..	..	..	26
Defective and choked drainage	..	..	..	..	..	..	507
Factories and Workshops	..	..	..	..	..	..	39
Food Stores and Shops	..	..	..	..	..	..	317
Fried Fish Shops	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
Housing Act	..	..	..	..	..	..	1792
Housing Applicants	..	..	..	..	..	..	331
Market Stalls	..	..	..	..	..	..	332
Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Act	..	..	..	..	..	..	626
Petroleum Stores	..	..	..	..	..	..	57
Provision of new sanitary dust-bins	..	..	..	..	..	..	1470
Prevention of Damage by Pests Act	..	..	..	..	..	..	892
Public Conveniences	..	..	..	..	..	..	57
Refuse Collection	..	..	..	..	..	..	317
Refuse Disposal	..	..	..	..	..	..	151
Restaurants	..	..	..	..	..	..	14

Shops Act	82
Slaughterhouses	1006
Atmospheric Pollution	135
Theatres and places of entertainment	1
Verminous Premises	71
Watercourses	10
Water Supply	49
Miscellaneous	220

LETTERS AND NOTICES ISSUED, ETC.

Number of Letters and Informal Notices	957
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PUBLIC CLEANSING SERVICE

During the year ended 31st March, 1970, the charges for the collection of Trade Refuse and tipping, etc., realised £2,977 and the value of the materials salvaged was £7,430.

The Cleansing Department disposes of refuse free of cost from the Highways, Markets, Cemetery and other Departments of the Council; from other firms on payment of 3/- per load.

The number of premises from which regular collection of refuse was made was 14,445.

By arrangement with the Beeston and Stapleford U.D.C. your Council collects and disposes of refuse from 15 houses in that district at an annual charge of £22 10s. 0d.

The Shardlow R.D.C. collect nightsoil and house refuse from two cottages and a house near Sandiacre Lock at a cost of £1 10s. 0d. per house, per annum.

The following table shows the quantity of salvage collected :—

MATERIALS	WEIGHT Tons	AMOUNT £
Waste Paper (all kinds)	671	7412
Textiles	$\frac{1}{2}$	6
Metals	—	12
Totals	<u>671$\frac{1}{2}$</u>	<u>7430</u>

LONG EATON URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL
APPROXIMATE ACTUAL COST OF COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF HOUSE AND TRADE REFUSE
(including cesspools) for the year ending 31st March, 1970

	Refuse Collection		Refuse Disposal	Salvage	Nightsoil and Cesspools	Total
	House	Trade				
Wages (excluding Drivers)	£ 14489	£ 721	£ 702	£ 4552	£ 119	£ 20583
Holiday and Sick Pay	1537	82	80	385	14	2098
Superannuation	215	12	11	54	1	293
National Insurance	955	51	50	239	9	1304
Rates, Taxes and other insurances	143	8	7	40	1	199
Depot Charges	268	65	2	93	2	430
Motor transport	9394	2284	73	3245	377	15373
Materials and repairs	425	14	137	359	2	937
Caterpillar Tractor—running costs	—	—	1737	—	—	1737
Supplementary Pensions	57	—	108	—	—	165
Sundries	—	—	1	—	5	6
Motor Transport—provision for renewal	1335	324	10	461	10	2140
Capital Fund contribution	301	—	—	129	—	430
Caterpillar Tractor—provision for renewal	—	—	800	—	—	800
Culverting ditch, Meadow Lane	—	—	12	—	—	12
Alter position of Tractor Shed	—	—	12	—	—	12
Dustbin replacement scheme	1810	—	—	—	—	1810
Hire of Tractor	—	—	68	—	—	68
	30929	3561	3810	9557	540	48397
Income	—	2862	115	7430	—	10407
NET COST	30929	699	3695	2127	540	37990

HOUSE AND TRADE REFUSE
TABLE SHOWING COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 1970

Item 1	Particulars 2	I. COLLECTION 3		II. DISPOSAL 4		III. TOTAL 5	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
REVENUE ACCOUNT							
A	Gross Expenditure	34490	0 0	3810	0 0	38300	0 0
B	Gross Income	2862	0 0	115	0 0	2977	0 0
C	NET COST	31628	0 0	3695	0 0	35323	0 0
UNIT COSTS							
D	Gross Expenditure per ton	1 18	2 3	4 3		2 2	5 5
E	Gross Income per ton	3 2	1½			3 3	3½
F	Net cost per ton	1 15	0 4	1½		1 19	1½
G	Net cost per 1000 population	953 10	3 11	111 7	11	1064 18	2 3
H	Net cost per head	19 0	2 3			1 1	3 4
I	Net cost per 1000 houses or premises from which refuse is collected	2189 11	1 3	255 15	3 2	2445 6	4 11
J	Net cost per house	2 3	9 5			2 8	11 11
RATE POUNDAGE							
K	Net cost, equivalent rate in the £	6.17d.		72d.		6.89d.	
L	Percentage of K to total rates in the £	3.85%		45%		4.30%	

Note—expenditure and income *re* Salvage not included in above.

The total quantity of refuse collected for the year ended March 31st, 1970 was 18,056 tons and the total quantity disposed of was 22,570 tons.

Per 1000 population per annum (365 days)	..	..	544 tons
„ 1000 population per day	..	..	29.8 cwts.
„ head per annum (365 days)	..	..	10.88 cwts.
„ house per annum (including business premises)	..		25 cwts.

Estimated Population 33,170

Area of District 3,557 acres

No. of houses and premises, 14,445

Average No. of houses scavenged per ton, 48

Method of Disposal: Controlled tipping 100%

Average haul to point of disposal, 2 miles

Number of Employees, including Foreman, 36

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